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Carmel Valley Farmers Will Attend

Many of the farmers of our productive Carmel Valley are planning to visit the San Francisco exposition next month.

October, which has been designated "Farmers' Month" promises to bring together the largest and most representative gathering of agriculturists, orchardists, livestock men and farmers, that has ever assembled in California.

All phases of the great farming industry, from the study of soils to the raising of delicate fruits and sturdy cereals and breeding of paying stock of all kinds, will be shown in detail in the various exhibition palaces.

Much space will be devoted to a splendid display of agricultural implements and agricultural practises with a view to showing the farmer how he can increase his income without enlarging his acreage.

The farmer's wife will be shown the latest ideas in labor saving devices and new methods of intensive housekeeping. Many devices for saving of backbreaking work will be on view.

From September 30 to December 3 there will be a succession of live stock shows.

Show animals and poultry of the highest breeds will be on view. The management has appropriated a large sum for this great live stock festival.

The horse show wil be held from September 30 to October 13. Among the breeds already entered are Belgian, Shire, Percheron, Thorobreds, Welch and Hackney ponies, and draft and saddle horses. There will be prizes. A society horse show will be given during the same dates.

"To Have and To Hold"

At four o'clock this afternoon, Miss Julia D. Dawson, of New York, and Armitt Brown, of Philadelphia, will be united in marriage by Rev. A. W. Darwall, at All Saints Episcopal chapel.

The couple will remain here a week, and then will proceed to Philadelphia, where they will make their home.

State's Ungracious Guest

From the Stockton Record

And now comes Mr. Taft, bobbing around in the hospitality of California, and returning therefore considerable ungallant criticism of his hosts. He praises the state and what its people have accomplished, and then turns around and calls into question the sanity and good faith of the electorate.

The man for whom Utah and Vermont voted for the Presidency seems to forget that Governor Johnson and the man associated with him in the Progressive program hold their commissions by virtue of the greatest popular majority ever given to elective servants.

If ever a people emphasized their selection, they did so at the late election; and if ever a people unmistakably placed their "O. K." on new laws, the people of California have done so under the referendum.

Mr. Taft is singularly unfortunate when he comes to California. He falls into the hands of chaperons who are isolated from the public. They live in the caves of memory and on the indigestible food of grouchland.

The rotund Mr. Taft is a gentleman sadly in need of manners. How the orthodox East would rise on its figurative hind legs and roar if the heterodox West should seek its hospitality and then ridicule its policies and ideals.

Polling Place, Officers, Registration

The Board of Supervisors has designated Carmel Hall as the polling place for the special State election on October 26.

The following are the officers of election: J. L. Williams, Judge; William E. Martin, Inspector; Stella L. Vincent and Benjamin H. Leidig, Clerks.

Only three days now remain to register for this election.

Crinklet Towels, 50 in a package for 10c. Leidig Bros.

Pave Ocean Avenue.

A Sufficient Reply From Wilson

A Philadelphia newspaper recently sent out to a number of American and English authors the following query:

"Which, in your opinion, are the six best novels in the English language?"

Only two writers, Harry Leon Wilson and Eden Phillpotts, had the courage to decline to supply a list.

Wilson's reply was, in part, as follows:

"There are not 'six best novels' in the English language. Criticism, in spite of an occasional vexed pundit to the contrary, being still as far from an exact science as ever alchemy was, there can be no six proved best novels in any language.

"Only the pettiest of pedants, I take it, would dare with academic compasses to establish the supremacy of any six. Such a zealot, I dare say, would undertake to select the six loveliest women in the world or the six best motorcars. I would trust him to pick neither for me."

Stevenson's Warning

After all that has been said and written on the subject of the conservation of our forests, has anyone improved on Robert Louis Stevenson?

One of his most delightful essays, "Old Pacific Capital," was written in 1880, when already the mountain fires were one of the great dangers of California, and is apropos at this time. He says:

"I have seen from Monterey as many as three at the same time. By day a cloud of smoke, by night a red coal of conflagration in the distance. A little spark will start them, and if the wind be favorable they gallop over miles of country faster than a horse.

"The inhabitants must turn out and work like demons, for it is not only the pleasant groves that are destroyed; the climate and the soil are equally at stake, and these fires prevent the rain of the next winter and dry up the perennial fodder. California has been a land of promise in its time, like Palestine; but if the woods continue so swiftly to perish, it may become, like Palestine, a land of desolation."

Advertise in the Pine Cone

Special School Tax

Proceedings of the Board of Supervisors: "It appearing that the following named school districts have submitted an estimate for special school tax, to-wit: * * Sunset (Carmel), the proceedings for the purpose being on file and hereby referred to, it is therefore ordered that the Board levy a tax upon all taxable property in the aforesaid school districts, as follows, to-wit:

"Sunset School District, 12 cents on each $100 of taxable property in Sunset School District."

The Nation Speaks

Children of Liberty, awake!
Where Freedom's sons have blazed the trail
Shall you, their leal decendants, fail
To hold in trust the ideal pure
That is their heritage secure?

You, who from forms of bondage drear,
Have sought and found a refuge here
Who reap the fruits of bitter tears
And patriot blood of former years,
Taking the most that I can give,
Learning how God meant men to live—
You promised fealty. Your vow
Was pledged to me. I need you now!

I need you now, my sons! Why wait
Till an invader storms the gate?
Your desperate resistance then
Might not avail. A host of men
Untrained, undisciplined, are less,
In time of peril and distress,
Than half that multitude would be.
Versed in the art of soldiery.
Oh, these, my children! So secure,
So confident, so over-sure,
While Europe dies, with warning writ
In blood across the face of it!
Valor, I doubt not warms your heart—
Discretion is the better part!
Lest to the scourge your neck must bow,
Be ye prepared! I need you now!

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

From present indications, Carmel is to have a prosperous winter season, several cottages already having been rented for from one to three months.

Private letters received here from the Argentine tell of much financial depression in that country, owing to the European war.

In Defence of Lincoln

The words "in defense of Lincoln" seem to constitute an anomoly, yet a soap-box orator in Portland was knocked off his perch and beaten because he was traducing the name of this great and noble man. The commendable act of knocking and beating was done by a United States soldier—to whom speedly promotion.

That the average street orator of the school the soldier rebuked so well, does have a grievance, there is no question. It lies usually in the depressing fact that he is expected to work for a living. He is willing to do anything but that. He will beg or steal or borrow. He will thump his chest, strain his throat, tear his hair. But he won't work. He won't wash, either, but this is a detail of less importance. Usually he rails at the capitalist, and if he really is a student of economics, he can find grounds for this. Persons who never dream of soapboxing, and are quite willing to toil for the bread they eat, have been known to mention the capitalist in other than terms of praise. The trouble with the chronic howler of the street corner is that he hates everybody. He despises all who are not as lazy, as shiftless and as useless as himself. He is just as bitter towards the wage-earner who goes well-paid to a task as he is towards the employer who pays for having the task done. He does not pick out actual wrongs for censure. All is wrong, and all must be condemned. Such is his view.

In the works of history there is not recorded the life of another man who by that record is lifted quite to the plane where Lincoln rests, secure, almost glorified. Generations pass without producing a character to compare with that of the immortal Lincoln. So strong, so gentle, so wise and so forgiving. The [illegible]emper of the stratum the Portland screecher represented could not otherwise have been completely demonstrated. The right to grumble is not denied. The privilege of airing wrong belongs to any man with the power of speech. A little clamorous agitation may be of benefit. But no man can rise in the streets of an American city and defame the fair name of Lincoln and no man unless a fool as well as a brawler, would essay a performance so bootless and risky.

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Register

Any elector who has not registered since January 1, 1914, must register on or before the 25th of this month in order to vote at the state election in October. See J. W. Hand.

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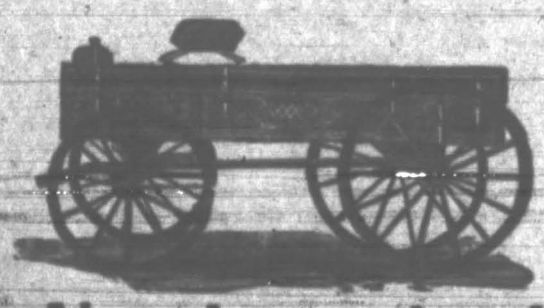

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Here's to the President

Big-navy-big-army and little-navy-little-army advocates are both agreed that President Wilson's handling of our foreign complications in such a manner as to keep this country out of war, and yet to maintain this nation's dignity and honor, is deserving of high commendation.

Whatever may be the differing views as to the measure of preparedness-for-war to be maintained, no element of our people really wants us to become engaged in war.

Jews on the Farm

"Back to the land" is a phrase that suggests to the devout Jew a return to old Palestine, but to a Jewish society in the East it means getting Jewish immigrants whose occupation has been farm labor to take up in the United States their usual occupation, instead of crowding into the cities. The scheme is meeting with success.

Something Else to Think About

Amid the re-echoed thunderings of artillery and the tramp, tramp, tramp of man-killing legions on the war-filled fields across the Atlantic, it is a refreshing relief to turn to something that breathes not of war or of slaughter.

A recent dispatch brings the intelligence that Alfred Usher Soord, the artist, is dead—not an announcement to be welcomed. But it may shift our attention, for the time being, from field marshals and battle details to contemplation of the achievements of peace.

Many in this country are familiar with this gentle English painter's "Lost Sheep," through the many copies which have been made. "Crucifiction" is given high rank by the critics. His work has an atmosphere of tenderness and pity.

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Only a horse, but a horse with heart—a thin, worn-out old bay;
But with spirit strong he plods along, with an uncomplaining neigh.

A beast of burden, by man abused, tortured with lash and with goad;
But a lesson in faithfulness, courage and toil, this worn-out nag of the road.

Only a horse—not a brute, but a horse—a patient, tired old bay.
The brute is the one that applies the lash, not the one who receives the flay.

He labors hard for his master's greed, he endures the toil and the pain;
But the look of despair from his eyes is a prayer—an appeal to be humane.

CHURCH NOTICES

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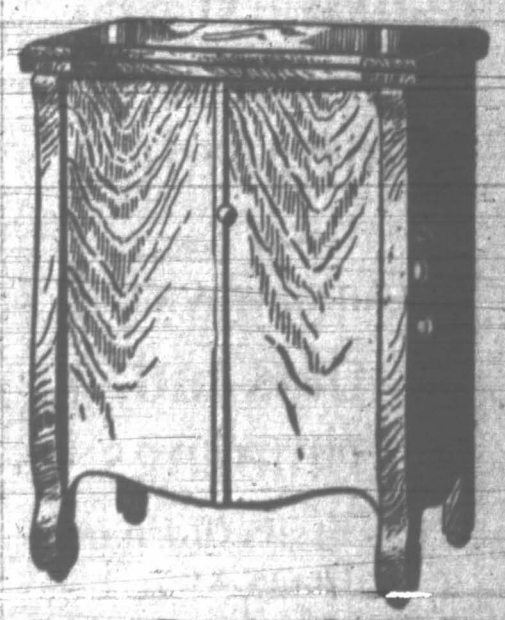

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They Enjoyed Carmel

A. G. Gignoux, member of the public utilities commission of Hawaii, with his wife and child, who spent two weeks in Carmel, left for San Francisco on Monday.

Prior to coming here they had visited in Santa Cruz and vicinity, but of the two coast towns, Carmel, they say, has the superior climate, and they were pleased to find such a place, but surprised to see it so little advertised.

The surf at Carmel beach more nearly resembles that of Hawaii than that of any place they knew of — the water is more agreeable, there is more life in the air. Anyone coming here from the Islands would find the place ideal.

Fire Under Control

Fire which broke out in the T. A. Work ranch two miles southeast of Monterey early Saturday evening and which threathened a number of ranch houses and some fine timber land was placed under control late Sunday evening. The fire is still burning but no danger is believed eminent inasmuch as only the brush and timber in the center of the fire area is being oonsumed.

It is estimated that from 900 to 1000 acres of land were laid waste by the blaze. Five hundred acres covered by the fire constituted grazing land, 200 were covered with pine timber and a like amount covered with brush. A report that gained credence that cord wood was destroyed in large quantities was denied.

The chief loss, it is believed, will be to the trees, twenty-five per cent of which are expected to die.

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Why Walsh is Being Abused

Evidently It Is a Crime to Tell the Truth

"Tne twin crimes of our nation," said Frank P. Walsh, of the Industrial Relations Commission, recently, "are idle men and idle land.

"The $500,000 spent in the work of the Commission, and so deplored by the metropolitan press, will have been well spent if this fact becomes thereby recognized by the people of the country.

"We did not go to a single place in the United States where there was not a delegation of serious-minded men who told us that if we would take up the land question we might get at the bottom of the whole trouble. In particular we have the testimony E. P. E. Troy, of San Francisco, of F. C. Howe, immigration commissioner of New York, and J. J. Pastoriza of Houston, Texas, who gave us the practical result of his work as assessor.

"Evidence from all sources points to vacant land as the fundamental cause of industrial unrest in a country of unending wealth, boundless energy, inexhaustible resources.

"In Texas, once the republic of Sam Houston, there is now a mighty empire. Where once farmers tilled their own land there are now 250,000 tenant farmers. Of 185,000,000 acres in the state, only 35,000,000 are under cultivation. In the Texas black belt we found conditions much worse than in any factory town on the Atlantic seaboard, plus loneliness and lack of education.

"Sixty per cent of the employing power of the United States is located on Manhattan Island.

"Twenty-five per cent of the land of New York is owned by twenty-five families, and in Chicago fifteen families own fifteen per cent of the city land.

"We are about to take a new step. Taxes, so far as possible, are going to taken off industry."

Mary Austin's "Fire" at the Exposition

One of the big attractions now in preparation at the fair is Mary Austin's magnificent work "Fire."

Several of those who participated in the Forest Theatre presentation two years ago will take part in the San Francisco production on September 30.

In staging the play and casting the parts Mrs. Austin has the valuable aid of Garnet Holme.

Pine Needles

The election at the Monterey High School resulted in the choice of the following class presidents: Senior, Philip Wilson; Junior, L. Lacey; Sophomore, Vincent Ena; Freshman, Bonnie Hale. Two for Carmel!

Prof. Duncan S. Johnson and family are on their way to Baltimore. They are now in San Francisco.

Edward Bowen and Mrs. I. Taylor were married at San Jose last week; and Briggs Bowen and Miss Violet August were married recently.

Miss M. Louise Hutchinson is away on a visit to Berkeley

Mrs. Whitmire and her three daughters have returned to San Jose.

J. E. Nichols and family are now occupying the Horn cottage on San Carlos avenue.

Mrs. A. V. Cotton, who is visiting her daughter in San Francisco, was joined there recently by her son from San Diego.

Mrs. Joy Chapin and daughter, who have been in their cottage here for several weeks, have gone to Roseville.

Rev. M. O. Lester and wife have returned from the city.

Mrs. L. N. Snedaker and two sons and Miss M. E. Hughes of San Jose were in Carmel recently, the guests of Miss Uri.

The call of the wild again; the Rosebooms have gone to the Big Sur section.

Mrs. L. Underwood is back in Carmel, returning from the city on Sunday.

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If you read it in the Pine Cone, you may safely repeat it.

G. W. Creasers automobile, which was badly burned recently, is now the property of L. P. Chavoya, of Monterey.

The changes in the Pacific Improvement Co. forces continue, and now that nearly all the heads of departments have been changed, the axe begins to move down the line.

Birthday Party

Last Thursday afternoon, on the occasion of the eleventh anniversary of her birthday, Ruth Pudan was tendered a party to which many of her little girl friends were invited.

Among those present were: Hilda and Helen Hilliard, Arline Payne, Dorothy Moore, Irene Goold, Helen and Elenor Hicks, Thomas and Henry Pudan.

John K. Turner is contemplating a trip to the Southern states.

Mrs. and Miss Waite are on their way to New York. They were at the La Playa.

Miss Carol George has returned to Oakland. She was the guest of Miss Marian Devendorf.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lindsay are guests of the D. W. Johnsons

Mr. J. W. Hand is spending a two weeks' vacation in the bay cities. He will return the middle of next week.

The Creasers are now occupying the Dr. Stevens cottage, on Casonova street.

A. M. Allen and Miss Eunice Allen, accompanied by Miss Irma Franck, went to Alameda last Thursday.

Misses I. A. Johnson and J. A. Culbertson are having a delightful time in Berkeley. They will return home about the end of this month.

The Coast Valleys Gas and Electric company has petitioned the railroad commission to appraise the property and fix the rates for Monterey, Pacific Grove, Carmel, Salinas, King City, and the surrounding country.

Nine young people of Carmel make the daily trip over the hill to attend the Monterey High School.

The Jeffers, of Pasadena, have returned here to spend the winter.

Mrs. Ellen S. White left yesterday for Berkeley, to be away several months.

Miss Isabel Logie is now occupying the Williams cottage recently vacated.

Mrs. H. P. Larouette, who has been visiting in San Francisco and Oakland, is expected home tomorrow.

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